

THE CAUCASIAN.

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CLINTON, N. C., — DEC. 25, 1890.

Elias Carr, President of N. C. Alliance, has written a letter to Senator Vance, asking if he would advocate and vote for the Sub-Treasury plan of financial reform if this legislature in re-electing him, would instruct him to do so. Senator Vance replies that he will obey such instructions if re-elected. This settles the whole matter, Vance will be re-elected and instructed.

We hope the Southern Interstate Immigration Convention, which assembled in Asheville last week, will be productive of much good. The chief idea in the meeting was for all the Southern States to organize and put forth a systematic and combined effort to induce capital and desirable emigrants to come South, invest and locate. The State Chronicle says that there were many crude ideas and but little unanimity in the meeting.

Dr. F. L. Shurby of Horner hospital, Mich., and Dr. Gibbs, of the Michigan University, of Ann Arbor claim that they have discovered a new cure for consumption which proves better than the Dr. Koch famous lymph vaccination cure.

A Safe Investment
Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Its guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflammation of the Bronchial Tubes, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at Dr. R. H. HOLLIDAY'S Drugstore, Clinton, and Dr. J. R. SMITH, Druggist, Mt. Olive, N. C.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice to Tax-Payers!

THE LAST CHANCE TO PAY WITHOUT COST!
I, or one of my deputies, will be at the following places, on the day mentioned, for the last time to collect the taxes for 1890:
Little Colmarie, Monday, December 22nd, 1890.
McDaniels, Tuesday, December 23rd, 1890.
Honeycutts, Friday, December 26th, 1890.
Mingo, Friday, December 26th, 1890.
Clinton, Saturday, December 27th, 1890.
Dismal (Avery's Store) Saturday, December 27th, 1890.
Halls, Monday, December 29th, 1890.
Lisbon, Tuesday, December 30th, 1890.
Westbrooks, Tuesday, December 30th, 1890.
Franklin, Wednesday, December 31st, 1890.
Newton Grove, Wednesday December 31st, 1890.
Taylors Bridge, Thursday, January 1st, 1891.
Piney Grove, Thursday, January 1st, 1891.
Turkey, Friday, January 2nd, 1891.
Pay now and save cost, for after this round the books will be turned over for collection, and cost added.
JAMES M. SPEER,
dec-4-4f Sheriff Sampson Co.

NOTICE

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of the Superior Court of Sampson county, rendered November 17th, 1890, in the case of J. T. Dawson, D. C. Dawson, J. A. Dawson and others, heirs at law of Joseph Dawson, deceased, vs. Frank Smith and others, heirs at law of said deceased, acting as commissioners under said decree will be public sale to the highest bidder, at the court house door in Clinton, N. C., on the 5th day of January, 1891, the same being the first Monday in said month, the following described tract of land, situated in Sampson county, Mingo township, known as the Joseph Dawson place and adjoining the lands of J. T. Dawson, J. M. Jackson, J. A. Dawson and others, containing one hundred and forty-four acres, more or less.
Said tract of land will be divided and sold in three separate tracts, ranking three desirable small farms. Sale made for division among the above named parties as tenants in common of said land.
TERMS:—Twenty per cent cash, balance in six and twelve months, with interest at 8 per cent, on deferred payments. Title reserved till final payment is made.
E. C. SMITH, Adm'r and Commissioner,
Dec. 19th 1890.—18-1ds.

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BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of the Superior Court of Sampson county, rendered in the case of E. C. Smith, administrator of C. C. Smith, deceased, vs. Frank Smith and others, heirs at law of said deceased, acting as commissioners under said decree will be public sale, at the late residence of the said C. C. Smith, deceased, in Turkey township, on Thursday, the 15th day of January, 1891, the following described tracts or parcels of land, being the excess of the homestead of the minor heirs of the said C. C. Smith.
1st Tract—Adjoining the said homestead and the lands of S. T. Smith and Y. B. Smith, containing twenty-three and a half acres.
2nd Tract—Adjoining the said homestead and the lands of E. Blackmore and W. A. Gavin, containing twenty-three acres.
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Alliance Department.

ALLIANCE NOTES, DISCUSSIONS AND THE DOINGS OF THE VARIOUS LODGES.

Clear Run Alliance No. 927.

Mr. Herring the Business Agent of this lodge left for Wilmington Monday to make wholesale purchases for the members of the lodge. He will buy a large quantity for cash and will get bottom figures.

There will be public speaking at Andrew's Chapel Lodge, Jan. 1st 1891. The speakers will be as follows: Mess. Marion Butler, T. L. Owen, R. M. Crumpler, R. B. Lockamy and Rev. L. Culbreth and J. O. Tew.

There will be a lecture delivered at Laurel Hill Alliance by Rev. Henry Duncan, Jan. 1st 1891. The public is invited to attend.

COUNTY MEETING.

The next quarterly meeting of the Sampson County Farmers' Alliance will be held on the 2nd Friday in Jan. (Jan 9th '91) The secretaries of Sub-Alliances will please have their reports in the hands of the county secretary before that date.

W. K. PIGFORD, Pres.

Remarkable Rescue.
Mrs. Michael Curtis, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs, she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found her illness was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found her illness was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

WILMINGTON & WELDON R. R. and Branches.

Condensed Schedule

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED	No. 23	No. 27	No. 41
Dec. 7, '90.	Daily.	Daily.	ex. Sun.
Ar Weldon	12 30 p.m.	5 43 p.m.	6 00 a.m.
Ar Rock Mt.	1 40	7 10	7 10
Ar Tarboro	2 47	8 17	8 17
Ar Weldon	10 20	—	—
Ar Wilson	2 18	7 00 p.m.	7 45 a.m.
Ar Weldon	2 30	—	—
Ar Selma	3 30	—	—
Ar Fayetteville	5 30	—	—
Ar Goldsboro	3 15	7 40 p.m.	8 30 a.m.
Ar Warsaw	4 10	8 40	9 34
Ar Magnolia	4 24	8 50	9 40
Ar Wilmington	5 50	9 55	11 20

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 14	No. 78	No. 40
Daily.	Daily.	Daily ex. Sunday.
Ar Wilmington	12 01 a.m.	9 00 a.m.
Ar Magnolia	1 21	10 34
Ar Warsaw	10 50	5 53
Ar Goldsboro	2 23	6 53
Ar Fayetteville	9 20	—
Ar Selma	11 18	—
Ar Wilson	12 20	—
Ar Weldon	3 03	12 54 p.m.
Ar Rock Mt.	1 30	8 18
Ar Tarboro	2 17	—
Ar Tarboro	10 20 a.m.	—
Ar Weldon	4 30	2 55 p.m.

Daily except Sunday.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Weldon 3 15 p.m., Halifax 3 37 p.m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4 25 p.m., Greenville 6 02 p.m., Kingston 7 15 p.m., returning leaves Kingston 6 00 a.m., Greenville 7 29 a.m., arriving Halifax at 10 10 a.m., Weldon 10 30 a.m., daily except Sunday.

Local Freight leaves Weldon 10 30 a.m., Greenville 11 30 a.m., Scotland Neck 2 00 p.m., Greenville 5 30 p.m., arriving at Kingston 7 40 p.m., returning leaves Kingston 7 00 a.m., Greenville 9 30 a.m., Scotland Neck 1 10 p.m., Halifax 3 35 p.m., arriving Weldon 4 00 p.m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, A. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh Railroad, daily except Sunday, 4 05 p.m., Sunday 4 00 p.m., arrive Wilmington, N. C., 6 30 p.m., 4 20 p.m., Plymouth 7 50 p.m., 5 20 p.m., returning leaves Plymouth, daily except Sunday, 6 00 a.m., Sunday 9 00 a.m., arrive Tarboro 9 30 a.m., 11 20 a.m.

Train on Midland, N. C., branch leaves Goldsboro, daily except Sunday, 6 00 a.m., arrive Smithfield, 8 00 a.m., returning leaves Smithfield, 8 00 a.m., arrive Goldsboro, 9 30 a.m.

DUNRAVEN RANCH

A Story of American Frontier Life.

By Capt. CHARLES KING, U. S. A., Author of "The Colonel's Daughter," "From the Rank," "The Deserter," etc.

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perfection of spirit, such a page was an old and cherished friend of Mrs. Belknap's—the latter had always said—and now she was coming to visit her from a station in the Indian territory. Just why her coming should prevent his seeing Mrs. Belknap or her seeing him was more than the tall subaltern could understand. On the brink of an unparadiseable solace, on the very edge of a blundering inquiry, he was saved, in her estimation, by the sudden return of the orderly and the re-appearance of the colonel.

"I've been to the hospital, sir, and to the doctor's quarters; he's not there. They say that's him, sir, riding off yonder." And the orderly pointed to a faint speck just visible in the wanting twilight, far away southward beyond the Monoc.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, his appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitter cured him. Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Spencer, Cutawba, O., had five lay-e Fever sore on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at 50 cents and 81 per bottle. R. H. Holliday's Drug Store; John R. Smith, druggist, Mount Olive, N. C.

Valuable Land Near Mt. Olive

FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Duplin county, rendered September 10th, 1890, and an order made November 10th, 1890, in the special proceedings of Wm. H. Thomson, et al., ex parte, I will sell at the court house door, in Kenansville, said county, on Monday, 5th day of January, 1891, to the highest bidder, the following described tract of land, situated in said county, near the town of Mt. Olive, bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at a white oak, running thence along Jacob Kornegay's old line, north 30° east 64 poles, to a white oak, his corner; thence with Duncan's old line, north 51, 118 poles, to Jacob Kornegay's other old corner; thence his line, south 5, east 127 poles, to a white oak in the possession of the beginning, containing 49 acres, more or less.

TERMS:—One-half cash, balance in six months, secured by a solvent bond. A. D. WARD, Commissioner.

This 29th day of Nov. 1890.—dec-4-4f

Atlantic & N. C. Railroad

TIME TABLE 19.

To take effect 6 a. m., Wednesday, May 28th, 1890.

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Ar.	Lv.	Ar.	Lv.
Wilmington	—	—	—	—
Goldboro	6 57	7 05	3 53	3 56
Beet's	7 20	7 30	4 04	4 03
La Grange	7 48	7 53	4 24	4 20
Falling Creek	8 04	8 09	4 40	4 36
Clinton	8 30	8 35	4 56	4 52
Caswell	8 50	8 55	5 14	5 10
Dover	9 10	9 15	5 32	5 28
Core Creek	9 30	9 35	5 50	5 46
Fuscarora	11 00	11 05	6 18	6 14
Clark's	11 17	11 22	6 35	6 31
Newbern	12 15	12 20	6 53	6 49
Riverdale	3 37	3 42	9 34	9 30
Croatan	3 48	3 53	9 46	9 42
Havelock	4 08	4 13	10 06	10 02
Newport	4 37	4 42	10 37	10 33
Newport	4 51	4 56	10 51	10 47
Atlantic	5 01	5 06	11 01	10 57
Morehead City	5 16	5 21	11 17	11 13
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THOMAS CLOCKS always in stock
in various styles and sizes.
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and mending Jewelry is a specialty.
All work I do is guaranteed to give
entire satisfaction.
Respectfully,
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PEACH AND APPLE CIDER,
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Flour, Potash,
Candies, Soda,
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STATE PRESS.

Insanity seems to be on the in-
crease in France. It is said that
government is considering a tariff
law which is worse and more drastic
than the McKinley tariff. —Wil. Star.

The Democratic minority in Texas
is large enough. If properly distrib-
uted to give each State in the
Union very nearly 4,000 majority
for anything in opposition to a Rep-
ublican candidate, it would be a
landmark. —Wil. Star.

Somebody wants to know what
relation there can possibly be be-
tween the November elections and
those of 1892.
Well, as near as we can get at it,
the Democrats had a close quarrel at
last month, and the play of the com-
mon two years hence. —N. Y. Herald.

The laws of Arkansas prohibit
the selling of liquor to boys under
sixteen years of age, and under
penalty of from \$10 to \$100 fine. A
number of merchants were recently
made to shell out for violating the
law. And of course, people are un-
der the impression that Arkansas is
a sort of backwoods State. —Wil. Star.

A Convention of the Farmers'
Alliance and various labor orga-
nization of the country, will meet in
Cincinnati about the middle of Feb-
ruary, for the purpose of organizing
what is styled, we believe, the
National Labor party. The move-
ment, which is one of vast
proportions, has its origin in the
content with the conditions of the
country, and especially with the
Republican policy toward agri-
cultural and labor interests. That it
will wipe out the Republican party,
just as the Whig party was wiped
out by Know-Nothingism, is not
for a moment doubt. That is
its mission. History is repeating
itself. —Goldsmith Argus.

There was once a man who found
a rattlesnake asleep on the cliff of
the mountain side, and to make a
show before his companions he
grasped the reptile around the neck,
expecting to turn it loose at his
pleasure. It soon began to wind its
lengthy body around his arm and
to deaden the nerve. He lost con-
trol of his arm. It then gave him
the fatal stroke.
What a lesson! When you see the
reptile, don't touch it. You are on the
cliff of the den of the snake, and all
on the other side, touch not, taste not,
handle not the meanest thing, lest it
wind its deadly influence round the
arm of your understanding and
deaden the sense of self-control and
then give you the fatal stroke.
Statesville Fundmaker.

Canadian farmers are now seeing
some of the beauties of the pro-
tective tariff. It seems that in Canada
they have a protective tariff for far-
mers, under which there is a duty
on imported potatoes. This year the potato crop of Canada
has been a failure and some of the
farmers have been borrowing a few
bushels from the U. S. —Canadian
across the line. They were evidently
reminded by custom officers of
the fact that they were violating the
revenue laws. A number of them
who could not afford to pay the
potatoes from their American neigh-
bors were compelled to pay duty on
them, and in addition were fined for
smuggling. The McKinley law in-
poses a duty of 25 cents a bushel of
potatoes, and the farmers of Canada
are a considerable portion of the United
States has been a failure, the farmer
who buys imported potatoes will
pay 25 cents a bushel more than he
could have paid for his own. The
high tariff is a daily thing for
the farmer. —Wil. Star.

WHAT IS A YEAR?
What is a year? A little space,
A footstep in old time's swift race,
A wrinkle added to the face.
Thy spring's green leaves, the sum-
mer's sun,
Fall, winter's frosts—the year is
done,
Its twelve month course is quickly
run.
This problem ponder, mortal man,
As others have since time began.
How best employ this little time
—E. Y. K.

THE ANNUAL PEST.
Of all the flies the new year breeds,
There's none that tides your grit,
More than the little note that reads:
"Sir, will you please read?"
—FLOATING.

**BEWARE OF CATARRH FOR CATARRH THAT
CONTAINS MERCURY.**
As Mercury will surely destroy the
sense of smell and completely de-
range the whole system when enter-
ing it through the mucus surface.
Such articles should never be used
except on prescriptions from rep-
utable physicians, as the danger they
will do are ten fold to the good you
can possibly derive from them.
Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured
by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.,
contains no mercury, and is taken
internally, and acts directly upon
the blood and mucus surfaces of the
system. In buying Hall's Catarrh
Cure be sure you get the genuine, it
is taken internally, and is made at
Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co.
—Sold by Druggists, price 75c
per bottle.

THE EDITOR'S CHAIR.

HOW THINGS LOOK FROM OUR STAND POINT.

The Opinion of The Editor and the
Opinion of Others which we
Can Endorse on the Various
Topics of the Day.

We have already been convinced,
though reluctantly, that the News
and Observer was a Railroad paper,
but we did not know until reading
its editorial of December 23d, 190,
that it was an organ of the National
Bank.

All sort of subterfuges are being
proposed to keep the government
from issuing money direct to the peo-
ple, and they all come from those
friendly to the money owners. Every
proposition so far contemplates
either bonds or the payment of trib-
ute to the banks. Such statesman-
ship will not merit the approval of
the people, and if persisted, it will
result at the next election in a much
worse disaster than the one just past.
The people demand an increase of
currency issued to them direct,
without the tribute that for twenty-
five years they have been compelled to
pay. The party or parties who per-
mit this demand to remain un-
heeded will be hurled from power
never to return.

We have within the last few days
received a number of communica-
tions from various Sub-Alliances
in this and adjoining counties, call-
ing upon the members of the Legis-
lature not to support any man for
the United States Senate who would
not pledge himself to advocate and
vote for some measure of financial
relief on the Sub-Treasury plan.
These resolutions were passed at the
last meetings of the Sub-Alliances,
and would have been published in
full in this paper, had not the recent
letter of Senator Vance to President
Carr, stating that he would, if elec-
ted, observe and faithfully carry out
the instructions of the Legislature.
This settles the whole matter. The
Legislature will pass instructions
and then proceed to elect a Senator
upon those instructions.

WHAT IS A COLD WAVE?

A subscriber writes to THE CAU-
CASIAN for information concerning
cold waves. He says that he fre-
quently sees in the papers about a
cold wave here or there, and he de-
sires to know the condition of the
temperature and atmosphere at such
times. A cold wave is defined by
Prof. T. Russell as a fall of temper-
ature in twenty-four hours of twenty
degrees over an area of 50,000 square
miles, the temperature in some part
of this area descending to thirty-six
degrees. Between 1880 and 1890 no
less than 691 cold waves were record-
ed in the United States. In the
great cold wave of January 17, 1882,
the fall of twenty degrees extended
over an area of 1,101,000 square
miles, and the fall of ten degrees
included 2,929,000 square miles. In
six cold waves of the ten years the
area of the fall of twenty degrees
was more than a million square
miles. Cold waves follow a day after
an area of low pressure, or occur
to the southeast of an area of high
pressure, reaching their greatest ex-
tent when both conditions are present.

"A MODEST REQUEST."

Under the above heading the Ra-
leigh News and Observer has the fol-
lowing editorial:

The Clinton Caucasian last week
did us the favor to print a few lines
we wrote in reply to its question.
May we ask our contemporary to re-
produce in its columns the following?

STANDARD RATES FIXED BY THE
GEORGIA COMMISSION.

ARTICLES.	100	200	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1000
Bacon,	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60
Grain,	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
Cotton,	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40
Fertilizer,	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30
Tobacco, prized,	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80

DUNRAVEN RANCH.

A Story of American Frontier
Life.

By Capt. CHARLES KING, U. S. A.,
Author of "The Colonel's Daughter," "From
the Banks," "The Frontier," Etc.

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CHAPTER VI.

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In the few minutes which elapsed be-
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gled through the middle wires and
finally stood within the inclosure, read-
ing his watch and looking at his
cylinder, saw that each chamber was
loaded, and turned once more to the
sergeant.

"Your pistols all right?"
"All right, sir; fresh loaded when we
started."

"I don't know that they'll be necessary
at all, sergeant; but this is a queer place
from what I've heard and the little I've
seen. Keep your eyes and ears open.
Capt. Striker and some of the men may
come down into the valley if they find
no trace of Gwynne up on the prairie.
Watch for the doctor, too."

Then, through the deepening twilight
he strode, following the trail that led
up the slope. Five minutes
briak walk along the springy turf
brought him to the crest and in view of
the lights at the ranch buildings, still
some six or seven hundred yards away.
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itself were sufficient cause for much sur-
prise, notwithstanding the measure of
preparation he had had in Mrs. Law-
rence's remarks.

The sight that well nigh took his
breath away was something far more
than the interior of a luxurious and
beautifully appointed room. Nothing
that had been said or hinted prepared
him in the faintest degree for the ap-
parently facing him, seated at the piano,
a performer utterly unlike the "cow
puncher" whom he had met in the morn-
ing.

The "fellow" now bending over the
keys, was a young, exquisitely fair
and graceful woman. Even as he stood
there in the full glare of the parlor
lights, she lifted up a pair of soft,
shaded, lustrous eyes and saw him.

The music stopped with sudden ab-
solute silence. The firm, white,
shapely hands fell nerveless in her
lap; a pallor as of faintness shot
over the wild eyes, only to be in-
stantly succeeded by a flush that surged
up to her very brows. Startled, she
might have been for an instant; scared
—not a bit of it! One instant only of
hesitation, then she rose and swept gal-
lantly forward to meet him.

Instinctively Perry's hand went up to
the visor of his forage cap and bared the
bright, curling crop of hair. Speechless
with amazement, he could only bow
before her and wait her question; but it was
a moment before she could speak. Here
as she was, the sudden apparition of a
stranger staring in upon her solitude
from an open casement was a shock that
could not be so easily overcome. He
could not see that she was making gallant
effort to control the tremor that had
seized upon her and to inquire the pur-
pose of his coming. He could see, too,
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her, and that there was neither fear
nor indignation nor displeasure in her beau-
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THE CAUCASIAN.

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CLINTON, N. C., — JAN. 1, 1891.

Good-bye, old year. You might, perhaps, have treated me a little better. You might have softened some hard rap. You might have eased up on some better.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

The great and beloved Irish leader Parnell was defeated in the election last week by Henry.

The Force bill is well named. It will force the Republican party into retirement.—New Bern Journal.

Succi breaks his fast. He fasted forty five days. This exceeds the famous fast made by Tanner five days.

Gen. Gordon has joined the Farmers' Alliance. Those papers, who are glowing over his election as an Alliance defeat, are nursing a big case of chagrin.

The Wilmington Messenger of Dec. 20th says: To day 30 years ago, was made memorable by the secession of South Carolina. How time flies! Yet lingers repressive force bills.

3,000,000 acres of land has been granted the mormons by the Mexican government. The mormons hope by this move to get away from the restrictions placed upon them by the United States government.

On last Sunday morning the Sea-board Air Line R. R. suffered a heavy loss by fire at Raleigh. The round house was burned down and 17 engines greatly injured. The loss is estimated to be about \$35,000.

We learn by the report of Maj. Finger, State Supt., of schools, that there are 205,641 children in N. C., that are not going to school at all. This is a sad fact, and one that should be remedied if possible.

Mr. H. W. Ayer, the associate editor of the State Chronicle has resigned his position with that paper and accepted the position as private secretary of Col. Polk, President of Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union.

On Dec. 24 the 2 main buildings of Bingham's school were burned. The fire was caused by a defect in the flue. The school will be immediately rebuilt. We think that it was only in 1884 when the school was entirely burned.

The annual report of Supt. Wood, of the Raleigh Insane Asylum, is out. He states that the capacity of the Institution is for only 204 patients. While it is now crowded with 299. He calls upon the Legislature for there to be an appropriation for there to be an annex to the building and other necessary improvements.

A meeting of the county Supt. of this State was held in Raleigh on last Friday and Saturday. It was held for the purpose of doubling the taxes for the schools, to have a white teacher's training school etc. Sampson was honored by the election of Prof. Isham Royal as chairman and Rev. F. M. Royal as secretary.

It will be seen of the Farmers' Alliance, as of every other great organization, that the body of the membership, the men in the ranks, the conservative, sober-minded middle strata, will prove to be the salt which will save it. The Alliance as a body is all right and it will get rid of its agitators and mercenaries by and by.—Statesville Landmark.

What is wanted is that a liberal policy of all cities and towns in the State, shall be pursued in advertising themselves. If this is done at once, North Carolina's growth within the next few years will outstrip the most sanguine; if, however, nothing of the kind is done, then we must look for Virginia, Tennessee, and Alabama, to go ahead, whilst North Carolina will but record a natural increase.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Senator Vance has made a speech on the Force bill. It is regarded as the ablest speech that has yet been made on the subject. The St. Louis Republic says: There is no more attractive speaker than Vance in the Senate of the United States and no man with more general influence. He is a man of this world. There is no man in Congress who has more sympathy with the farmers and laborers of our country.

Alliance Department.

ALLIANCE NOTES, DISCUSSIONS AND THE DOINGS OF THE VARIOUS LODGES.

A CARD BY THE LECTURER.

I had accepted two invitations to speak this week, one in Sampson county, Andrew's Chapel, and the other in Cumberland, at a public dinner near Wades. Both of these engagements I am forced to break, as business calls me to Raleigh Thursday morning. MARION BUTLER, County Lecturer.

NEWTON GROVE ALLIANCE No. 357.

MR. EDITOR: There having been no news sent from our Alliance recently, I take pleasure in sending the following:

I see that Mr. Pierce of Hallsboro, wants the State to have a stock law and he seems to think that we cannot farm successfully without it. I do not agree with Mr. Pierce, for we have some as good land as there is in the State and upon the whole do not only think that it would not be a benefit, but an injury. If Mr. Pierce would go down in Greene and Lenoir counties, where they have plenty of timber, and see the evils that have resulted from this law, we think that he would have the same opinion on this matter that I have, and, at any rate, I can say that we do not want it in Sampson county, and further more, that we will never support a man for the Legislature who will vote for it to become a State law.

The editor will please publish the above for Mr. Pierce and others who are in favor of the stock law.

EDWARD JOHNSON, Pres. Newton Grove Alliance. [Progressive Farmer please copy.]

One of the most gratifying results of the late National meeting was the adoption of the Sub-Treasury plan with but four dissenting votes. After a year of discussion from every possible point of view, over all the ridiculous and intemperate treatment it has received from the hands of its opponents, but four votes could be found against it in a convention that represented 35 States. No better evidence is needed of the rapid advancement of economic education among the people.—National Economist.

Clear Run Alliance No. 927.

Mr. Herring the Business Wilmington Monday to make wholesale purchases for the members of the lodge. He will buy a large quantity for cash and will get bottom figures.

There will be public speaking at Andrew's Chapel Lodge, Jan. 1st 1891. The speakers will be as follows: Mess. Marion Butler, T. L. Owen, R. M. Crumpler, R. B. Lockamy and Rev. L. Culbreth and J. O. Tew.

There will be a lecture delivered at Laurel Hill Alliance by Rev. Henry Duncan, Jan. 1st 1891. The public is invited to attend.

COUNTY MEETING.

The next quarterly meeting of the Sampson County Farmers' Alliance will be held on the 2nd Friday in Jan. (Jan 9th '91) The secretaries of Sub-Alliances will please have their reports in the hands of the county secretary before that date.

W. K. PIGFORD, Pres.

Eupesey. This is what you ought to have, in fact, you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it daily, and mourning because they find it not. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may attain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, if used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you sound digestion and oust the demon dyspepsia and install instead Eupesey. We recommend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia and all diseases of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Sold at 50c and \$1.00 per bottle by E. H. Holliday, Druggist, Clinton; and JOHN R. SMITH, Druggist, Mount Olive.

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THE OPINION OF OUR READERS ON THE VARIOUS TOPICS OF THE DAY.

We offer this column to our readers in which to discuss topics of interest and profit to them.—E.

MR. EDITOR: As the election is over and all things seem to have gone right, and as one will not likely to be suspected of office-seeking now, I would thank you for a little space in your worthy paper to give my views as to my likes and dislikes:

First, I would like to speak in reference to our county government, especially in regard to the Board of Education, which I think is unnecessary, as the Board of County Commissioners could do the work without any expense to the county, more than their regular pay as Commissioners. And in connection with this I wish to say that I dislike the plan of having a County Superintendent and paying him six or seven hundred dollars a year out of the public money, when you may say he is of no manner of use to the county. I have talked with some teachers in regard to the Superintendent visiting the schools, and they say it amounts to nothing. This way waste the money in this way when the people would prefer having it placed in their hands for distribution for their children. I say, do away with the Board of education and the Superintendent and appoint some man as examiner and let each applicant pay him one dollar for such examination. This may meet with opposition, but I don't see why it should, as I believe there is a better and cheaper way than the present one, if it is looked after, and I hope the people will come forward and exchange views on this subject in time to get the matter in proper form for the action of our representatives in the Legislature, which I hope will have their attention, and I believe they will give it their support if the people will unite and show wherein there is need of a change. We cannot expect them to do as we would wish, unless we tell them, therefore, if there are others that desire a change and can suggest a better plan than I, I hope they will let us hear from them.

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"How to Cure all Skin Diseases." Simply apply "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are demonstrated by 12 WAYS OF Ointment.

Atlantic & N. C. Railroad.

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IF YOUR BACK ACHES

Or you are all worn out, really good for nothing, try a general remedy. It will cure you, and give a good appetite. Sold by all druggists in medicine.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Valuable Land Near Mt. Olive FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Duplin county, rendered September 10th, 1880, an order made November 10th, 1890, in the special proceedings of Wm. H. Thompson vs. J. M. Davis, et al., I will sell at the court house door in Kenansville, said county, on Monday, 5th day of January, 1891, to the highest bidder, the following described tract of land, situated in said county, near the town of Mt. Olive, bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at a white oak, running thence along Jacob Kornegay's old line, north 30, east 54 poles, to a white oak, his corner; thence with Duncan's old line, north 51, 118 poles, to Jacob Kornegay's old line; thence his line, south 5, east 127 poles, to a white oak in the woods; thence to the beginning, containing 49 acres, more or less.

TERMS:—One-half cash, balance in six months, secured by a solvent bond. A. D. WARD, Commissioner.

This 20th day of Nov. 1890.—deed-11

NOTICE

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE

of the Superior Court of Sampson county, rendered November 17th, 1890, in the case of J. T. Dawson, D. C. Dawson, J. A. Dawson and others, heirs at law of Joseph Dawson, dec'd, ex parte, vs. the undersigned, acting as commissioner under said decree will sell by public sale to the highest bidder, at the court house door in Clinton, N. C., on the 5th day of January, 1891, the land made for division among the above named parties as tenants in common, the following described tract of land, situated in Sampson county, Mingo township, known as the Joseph Dawson place and adjoining the lands of J. T. Dawson, H. M. Jackson, J. A. Dawson and others, containing one hundred and forty-four acres, more or less.

Said tract of land will be divided and sold in three separate tracts, making three desirable small farms. Said lands for division among the above named parties as tenants in common of said land.

TERMS OF SALE:—Two per cent of purchase money cash, balance in six and twelve months, with good security. W. S. THOMSON, Commissioner.

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NOTICE

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE

of the Superior Court of Sampson county, rendered in the case of E. C. Smith, administrator of C. C. Smith, deceased, vs. Frank Smith and others, heirs at law, I will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the late residence of the said C. C. Smith, deceased, in Turkey township, on Thursday, the 15th day of January, 1891, the following described tracts or parcels of land, being the excess of the homestead of the minor heirs of the said C. C. Smith.

1st Tract—Adjoining the said homestead and the lands of S. T. Smith and Y. B. Smith, containing twenty-three and a half acres.

2nd Tract—Adjoining the said homestead and the lands of R. E. Blackmore and W. A. Gavin, containing twenty-three acres.

TERMS:—Twenty per cent cash, balance in six and twelve months, with interest at 8 per cent, on deferred payments. Title reserved till final payment is made.

E. C. SMITH, Adm'r and Commissioner.

Dec. 19th 1890.—18-tds

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DRUG STORE!

"A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE"

Don't wait to get sick, but when you begin to feel bad come and get a dose of medicine and prevent sickness. This is the proper use of medicine. If you will do this you will scarcely ever have a doctor's bill to pay or lose months of time, and put your friends and relatives to such a deal of trouble.

In addition to my complete line of pure and reliable Drugs I carry Warner's Red Cabin Remedies, B. B. B. S. S., Quinine in small and large quantities; Simmon's Liver Regulator, Famous Specific Ointment, Bessons' Catarrh Remedies, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the Golden Medical Discovery, Horse and Cattle Powder (1 pound packages prepared by the Herb Co. of W. Va. Quaker brand).

Prescriptions carefully compounded. Local and office practice upon request. Respectfully, aug-11-17 DR. R. H. HOLLIDAY.

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It can be given in a cup of tea or coffee without the knowledge of the person taking it, effecting a cure in a few days, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or an absolute wine. Thousands of drunkards have been cured who have taken the Golden Specific in their coffee without their knowledge, and they believe they are drinking of their own free will. No harmful effect, results from its use. It is a powerful and guaranteed. Send for circular and full particulars. Address Dr. Halsey, 1000 Broadway, New York City.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHRISTMAS GIFT!

Will e long resound through every household in our prosperous and happy SUNNY SOUTH. You know the demand must be met, and you cannot complete your memorandum any where else as perfectly as at the Mammoth Dry Goods Establishment of

FRANK THORNTON

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Special attention has been given to a critical selection of

HIGH GRADE NOVELTIES

—AS WELL AS—

Useful and Ornamental Goods.

And the combined lines and assortments we feel sure cannot be surpassed in any of the

Southern States.

This unprecedented array of

Holiday Goods surpasses anything in quantity and quality ever exhibited in the South. We kindly solicit an examination.

The Verdict.

To rest with you, and we will be satisfied.

What You Want.

We know is the most difficult problem for you to solve, but we can show you anything from a fine

Fine Silk Dress

TO A

TINEY DOLL

To make your selections from.

In our immense stock you are bound to strike something suitable for your purpose.

What Will It Be?

If you want to do something real handsome, Ladies, present your husbands with a real nice

OVERCOAT

!—OR—

Suit of Clothing!

This will be sensible and your husband will think more of you (even if he has to pay the bill.)

Gentlemen would not make a mistake by presenting to their wives one of our handsome

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Mr. Editor: Ask twenty Clinton ladies in succession what plaster they consider the most strengthening, the most soothing, the most healing, and in all respects the most desirable, and nineteen of them will promptly answer, LEE'S BACKACHE PLASTER, oc 9-ly.

I have a very large stock of Dress Goods—Worsted and Henrietta Goods—at 10 to 75 cents per yard.
B. F. POWELL.

The persons holding the five largest amounts of M. Hanstein's Prize Tickets will please call at his store January 1st, at 3 p. m., to receive their prizes.

The finest line of Ruchings, Collar-ties, &c., ever shown in Clinton, is at
W. A. JOHNSON'S.

1,000 pounds of Fancy Candles just received, and many other goods, especially for the holiday season. Buy from
C. P. JOHNSON.

I want to buy 200 pounds of new Geese Feathers. Will pay cash or trade.
Respectfully,
B. F. POWELL.

AT A GREAT REDUCTION.
"I have moved the remnant of my stock of goods into my store at the depot. Come around and get bargains. I am closing out at a great reduction."
J. A. FERRELL.

Wait for Wm. A. Johnson's new stock of Holiday Goods before purchasing. He is now North buying it.

M. HANSTEIN is offering his entire stock of Clothing, Shoes and Hats for sale at reduced prices.
Christmas Goods at C. P. JOHNSON'S. Call to see me before buying.

New Fur Capes, New Dress Trimmings, Gimps, Gold Braids, &c., just received at
W. A. JOHNSON'S.

Special reduction during Court n every department at M. HANSTEIN'S. His goods must be sold.

Hands Wanted to cut 100 cords of Wood. Apply to
J. A. or T. M. FERRELL.

PAID READING NOTICES.

27 Cards and Reading Notices can be inserted under this head for 10 cents per line.

I will sell all my personal property at my residence, in Taylor's Bridge township, on Thursday, January 8th, '91. See ad.

AB. C. GARRIS.

LOST A MULE.

On last Sunday night, December 28th, a black Mule jumped from my fields in Piney Grove township. I swapped for the Mule at last term of Court. I will reward the finder or any one giving information.

Address, J. F. WATKINS, ja 1-11*

Faison, N. C.

NOTICE.

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina Building and Loan Association are requested to meet at T. M. Ferrell's store on Monday, January 5th, 1891, at 9:30 A. M.

By order of the President,
T. M. FERRELL, Sec'y.

NOTICE.

Application will be made to the next General Assembly of North Carolina for an Act of the Assembly incorporating the Clinton Loan Association. This December 30th, 1890.

By order of the Stockholders,
ja 4t
W. L. FAISON, Sec'y.

NOTICE.

To Life Members of Agriculture Society.

The members of the Sampson Agricultural Society will meet in Clinton on Saturday, January 3rd, 1891, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

W. K. PRADON, President.

All persons indebted to the firm of Moore & Patrick will please come forward and settle at once. This is positively necessary before January 1st, 1891.

FIFTY TOWN LOTS FOR SALE in the town of Clinton, and other lands for sale in quantities to suit. For particulars, apply to
J. A. or T. M. FERRELL.

The Best and Cheapest College. Attend the Commercial College of Kentucky University, Lexington, Ky. It received the Gold Medal at World's Exposition—Read advertisement. Dec-11-6t.

MARKETS.

CLINTON.
(Reported by A. F. JAMESON & Co.)

Corn, (new)	60
Wheat	8 to 12
Barley	15 to 20
Beeswax	18 to 20
Butter	15 to 20
Lard	10 to 12
Pork	5 to 10
Flour	5 to 10
Hides	3 to 4
Turkey, (live)	3 to 4
Yellow Dip	2 to 3
Cotton	8

WILMINGTON.

Spirits Turpentine	25
Rosin, (strained)	10
Good (strained)	12
Crude Turpentine, (hard)	10
Yellow Dip	10
Cotton	8
Timber, per m.	3 to 15

FOR DYSPENSIA.

Use Brown's Iron Bitters. Physicians recommend it. All dealers keep it. \$1.00 per bottle. Genuine has trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

Index to New Advertisements.

Notice—Ab. C. Garriss.
For Rent—E. C. Herring.
Lost—David S. Williams.
Hardware—T. H. Partrick.
Salem High School—Geo. C. Butler.
A Thousand Thanks—W. A. Johnson.

A Card to our Subscribers.

Congress and our State Legislature will both be in session the next few months. I leave for Raleigh this week and will be gone at least two months. I will write a letter to the paper each week and keep you posted on what the General Assembly is doing. I have made arrangements to have the doings of Congress reported each week for this paper, so our readers will be kept well informed on the workings of these two important Legislative bodies. During my absence my brother, Mr. Henry Butler, will have charge of the office, will receive subscriptions, make advertising contracts, collect, &c.

Very truly,
MARION BUTLER.

LOCALS.

—The Spring Term of the Clinton Female Institute will open Jan. 7th.

—Rev. J. W. Turner's school will open next Monday, January 5th, in the Academy building.

—Mr. T. M. Ferrell is improving his store with a new front. It will add much to its appearance.

—New Year's Gift! Ah there, we have caught you all again. Well, we will take it out in good will and subscriptions.

—We are glad to see Mr. F. T. Atkins, who has been quite sick a second time recently, able to be on our streets again.

—The regular annual meeting of the Sampson Light Infantry for the election of officers will take place Friday. A full attendance is desired.

—Mr. William H. Duncan, a former salesman for Mr. J. E. Royal, has recently bought out Mr. G. E. Alphin, and is doing business in Mr. Alphin's old stand.

—Are you due THE CAUCASIAN anything? If so come and settle. It does not make any difference whether we need the money or not, you owe it, and that is sufficient.

—Rev. C. P. Jerome and family left here yesterday morning for Southport. He will also move the place of the publication of his paper, The Leaflet, from this place to Southport.

—The agents soliciting hands to go to Georgia are among us. Several crowds of negroes have already left. The next Legislature will probably tax these Emigration agents.

—The General Assembly of North Carolina convenes next Wednesday. Keep an eye on its doings. The more the people watch the proceedings of the Legislative bodies the better will be to the laws.

—Excellent Christian sermons were preached on last Sabbath by Dr. F. Marable, at the Presbyterian church and by Rev. J. W. Turner at the Episcopal church. Both were worthy of being reported in full.

—There has been up to January 1st over 3,000 bales of cotton bought at Clinton besides what was shipped by owners to other points from here. There have probably been 7,000 bales shipped from the county up to date and there are at least 1,000 bales now in the county, making the total crop over 8,000 bales. Last year there had been but little over 1,500 bales bought in Clinton at this time.

—Congress and the Legislature both being in session, THE CAUCASIAN will give a full account of the important business before both bodies. Never was there a time when the people generally were more interested in the actions of their representatives and the work of the Legislative bodies than at present. Subscribe for THE CAUCASIAN and keep posted. Only fifty cents for four months.

—The closing exercises of Mrs. J. W. Turner's school took place on Tuesday evening, December 23d, and were well attended by the patrons and friends of the school. The children acquitted themselves with credit to their teacher and themselves. Annie Dixon, eight years old, took the medal for scholarship. Where all did so well it would be invidious to make comparisons. We all left much pleased with the evening's exercises and wish the teacher much success during the coming session. Her school opens next Monday, January 5th, at her residence, on College street.

Warsaw Items.

Miss Nettie Canon, of South Carolina, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Woodward, of Warsaw.

Miss Ella E. Brown, of the Oxford Female Seminary, is home spending the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Thos. Moore and son, of Warsaw, who have been in Georgia for some months, have returned home.

Mr. Charles Herring's wife, is at Chinguepin, visiting friends and relatives.

The Murray strawberry is gaining great popularity. Mr. W. L. Hill, one of the best truckers of this town, has eight acres in these berries.

All Through Sampson.

What Sampsonians are doing and saying.

Send us the news from your township for this column. Every subscriber to this paper has a right and is requested to contribute items of news in "his" neighborhood for this column. We will not publish your name unless you desire it.

HALLS.

Died, on the evening of the 29th ult., the child of Mr. Willie Beaman.

LEBON.

Mr. R. R. Vann, of Mt. Vernon Springs, is visiting relatives in this community.

MINGO.

Mr. Editor: Please allow me a short space in your valuable paper to announce to your many readers that Mingo is still in the land, for we can boast of as fine farming section as any township in the county.

Mr. David Godwin made one hundred barrels of corn and three thousand pounds of lint cotton on a one-horse farm. Mr. Godwin is an excellent farmer, and we think that our people will prosper by his example.

Mr. Frank Tew leaves next Monday for Georgia. He is an excellent gentleman and we are sorry that he is to leave us.

PINEY GROVE.

The attendants at the marriage of Prof. J. D. Ezzell were as follows: Mr. J. F. Jackson with Miss Della Daughtry; Mr. H. M. Warren with Miss Phoebe McPhail; T. H. Sutton with Miss Annie Marshall; W. L. Ezzell with Miss Mamie Weeks; M. L. Weeks with Miss Rosa Ezzell.

Mr. Ike L. Faison was accidentally shot in the face and shoulder by a comrade while out bird hunting last Monday. One shot struck the left eye and it is feared that the sight is damaged. None of the other wounds are serious. He is to be married in a week or two.

SOUTH CLINTON.

Miss Emma Matthis is quite sick with typhoid fever.

TURKEY.

Died, on the evening of the 24th ult., Mrs. Mary Thompson, wife of Mr. Ivey Thompson. She had been sick for sometime. She was an estimable woman and will be greatly missed in the community. She was about forty years old.

Mr. W. J. Moore has a powder horn that belonged to his great grandfather, Mr. Andrew Thomson, who was born in 1762. He lived in Turkey, and his nearest neighbors at that time, it is said, was at the old Sampson Hall, near where Clinton now stands. The horn came into Mr. Moore's possession as an heirloom in 1860. It was then full of powder just as Mr. Thomson left it at his death. Just after the war, when powder was scarce, Mr. Moore was forced to use it. He says the grains were very large and that it took but little more than half as much of it to load a gun as of the powder now in use.

YOUR ATTENTION IS CALLED

To This Issue to What the Following Parties Have to Say to the Public.

Mr. Ab C. Garriss offers his personal property for sale Jan. 8th.

Mr. D. S. Williams lost a bound on the 24th.

Mr. E. C. Herring offers his store house & at Garland for rent.

T. H. Partrick has opened a complete line of Hardware, tin and glass at J. A. Ferrell's old stand. You can find anything there on this line you want.

Prof. G. E. Butler makes an announcement of the opening of the Spring Term of Salem High School. Additional teacher's and larger accommodations. Attention called to music and art.

Capt. Wm. A. Johnson returns a "thousand thanks" to his many customers for their liberal and pleasant patronage during the past year. Gives prospects for the new year and a gentle reminder to delinquents.

Mr. J. F. Watkins of Faison lost a black mule on last Sunday.

Amusements of the Week.

The fox and deer hunters were on the go every day during Christmas week.

The young people attempted to surprise Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Johnson at their elegant home with a storm party on last Friday evening, but the host and hostess surprised the surprisers by being ready, receiving them with a hearty welcome, and serving an elegant repast. It was a most enjoyable affair.

The gentleman of the Clinton Literary Club gave a supper at Col. J. R. Beaman's on Saturday evening to the young ladies of the Cooking Club, whose hospitality they had frequently enjoyed.

The Calico Ball, given by the young ladies at the Robinson Hotel on Monday evening, was greatly enjoyed by the dancing folks.

The young people enjoyed a very pleasant party at Representative King Pigford's on Tuesday evening. There was quite a swell fox hunt at Elliott Wednesday morning.

There were many other amusements but these were all that THE CAUCASIAN office received notice of.

Save the boys and the girls from scrofula and other forms of impure blood by giving them Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Persons.

Jas. Morrissey, of Winston, is home spending the holidays.

Mr. Matt. Lee, of Goldsboro, was in town a few days this week.

Mr. W. G. Rackley has returned from a week's visit to Cumberland. Mr. Geo. Matthis is home from Davidson College, spending the holidays.

Messrs. A. F. and Frank Holmes spent their Christmas holidays at home.

Miss Lucy Herring, of Wilson, has been visiting Miss Mittie Beaman.

Mr. Mosley Hubbard, of Wilmington, is spending his holidays in town.

Mr. W. A. Hobbs, who spent his holiday vacation at home, has returned to Wake Forest.

Mr. T. T. James is home from Trinity. He will return for the spring term to-morrow.

Miss Sadie Fair-ol leaves this morning for Goldsboro to spend the remainder of her vacation.

Mr. E. D. Pigford, who has been in Georgia as a Railroad Contractor, spent the holidays at home.

Mr. William Nutting and wife, of Wilmington, are visiting Mr. J. T. Gregory, of this place.

We are glad to see that Mr. Oscar Peterson has almost recovered. He was quite sick while at Wake Forest last fall.

We are glad to see Mr. B. S. Peterson, who was recently struck with a stroke of paralysis, able to be on the streets again.

Mr. John McMillan and wife, of Landsburg, Ga., who have been visiting in Clinton during the holidays, leave for Georgia this morning.

Mr. W. G. Hubbard, of the firm of A. F. Johnson & Co., is spending the week in the rare sport of deer and fox hunting at Point Caswell.

Mr. James A. Williams, of Edinburg Ga., and Mr. J. W. Mitchell, of Vann, Ga., both of Cumberland, are in this section securing hands to work turpentine. They gave our office a pleasant call. They both read THE CAUCASIAN every week and say it is a most pleasant visitor.

Marriage Bells.

(Special Correspondent.)

WARSAW, N. C., Dec. 30, 1890. At 10 o'clock a. m., Wednesday morning, the 21st ult., at H. S. Stevens, in the town of Warsaw, N. C. Mr. M. E. Hobbs, of Sampson county, led to the hymeneal altar Miss Mary F. Boudin, the beautiful and charming daughter of Mrs. M. F. Boudin. The attendants were Mr. C. M. Hobbs and Miss Lily McLary, Mr. E. M. Hobbs and Miss Sadie Hill, Mr. John W. Best, and Miss Bertie Hobbs, Mr. Herbert Best and Miss Maggie L. Bass. The ceremony was appropriately and beautifully performed by the Rev. G. S. Best, after which the party partook of a sumptuous dinner and repaired to the depot and boarded the 11 o'clock train for the home of the groom, where awaited a hearty welcome to all, and such a festive evening will be remembered by all. Long may you both live and may no cloud of doubt ever come near you is the wish of the writer.

Would Not Do Without It For Three Times the Subscription Price.

BELLEVUE, Mo., Nov. 15, 190. My Dear Brother: Will you please inform me what my arrangement is on my subscription to THE CAUCASIAN? I will remit by registered letter. I would not do without THE CAUCASIAN for three times the subscription price.

Very truly yours,
REV. A. B. CRUMPLER.

HIS DAUGHTER SUFFERED FROM ECZEMA.

My daughter suffered for five years with an attack of Chronic Eczema, that baffled the treatment of all the best practitioners. I then concluded to try a course of Swift's Specific (S.S.S.). She began to improve from the first dose, and before she had completed the second bottle the irritation had disappeared, and she is now well and enjoying unexcelled health. These are plain and simple facts, and I will cheerfully answer all inquiries, either in person or by mail. V. VAUGHAN, Druggist, Sandy Bottom, Va.

IT IS THE BEST.

I have used Swift's Specific from cleansing the blood of impurities, and find it to be the best in the market. It not only purifies the blood, but is a most excellent tonic, and builds up the general health promptly.

J. MUNDAY, Litchfield, Ill.

SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.,
Drauer 3, Atlanta, Georgia.

A Ray of Hope.

For all who are held by the chains of scrofula or other diseases of the blood comes from Hood's Sarsaparilla, which by imparting the elements of good health and strength to the vital fluid, dissolves the bonds of disease and sets the captive free. No other remedy in existence combines the positive economy, the peculiar merit and the medicinal power of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Symptoms! itching Piles!

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Sampson County Expenditures.

Amounts ordered paid by County Commissioners at November meeting, 1890, are as follows:

To Abram Giles, 3 months' support, \$4.20
Francis Butler, at county farm, 1.00
J. A. Register 1 months' support, 2.00
Amos Royal, 3 months' support, 3.00
W. J. Moore, registering voters, 6.26
Rachel Pope, 2 months' support, 3.00
Jemima Balkeum, 3 months' support, 9.00
J. L. Owen, conveying prisoner to jail, 2.00
Mrs. Drew Smith, 3 months' support, 2.80
Oliver Murphy, 3 months' support, 9.00
Crescy Pope, 3 months' support, 3.00
Bellocca Butler, 3 months' support, 5.00
Nath'l Faircloth, 3 months' support, 9.00
Benjamin Faircloth, 3 months' support, 3.00
A. B. Brevington, 3 months' support, 4.20
Cassie Herring, 3 months' support, 9.00
Mary M. Hair, 3 months' support, 3.00
Mary Herring, 3 months' support, 2.50
Marinda Hair, 3 months' support, 9.00
Calvin Odum, 3 months' support, 3.00
Alice Tew, 3 months' support, 3.00
J. R. Hargrove, 3 months' support, 5.00
Nancy Hargrove, 3 months' support, 5.00
Margie Kinsauls, 3 months' support, 12.50
Mary M. Hair, three months' support, 3.00
Allen Boon, three months' support, 5.00
Nancy Stevens, three months' support, 3.00
Martha Owen, three months' support, 15.00
Nancy Jackson, three months' support, 3.00
H. J. Hobbs, three months' support, 9.00
Catherine Reeves, 3.00
W. C. Lamb, three months' support, 5.00
Theophilous Bryant, three months' support, 1.50
J. E. Royal, merchandise for County Farm, 1.15
J. R. Murphy, serving notice on overseer, 60
Eskine Williamson, burying pauper, 3.00
J. T. Gregory, court officer, 6.00
M. W. Clifton, registering voters, 11.58
A. T. Herring, lumber for a blackburn, registering voters, 8.85
E. Peterson, registering voters, 9.39
E. Peterson, calling court, October term, 16.00
J. H. Robinson, jail account, 49.80
J. M. Spill, serving election notices and other work, 57.98
J. H. Royal, merchandise for County Farm, 32.50
J. H. Royal, rations for pauper, 22.40
Cumberland county, for pauper, 4.00
J. M. Spill, safe for Sheriff's office, 70.27
J. M. Spill, wood and court servant, 13.55
C. Patrick, whiskey for County Farm, 1.50
C. Patrick, one day as chairman Board Co. Comm'rs, 2.00
J. C. Hobbs, 1 day as Com. and 25 miles travel, 3.40
J. M. Marshall, 1 day as Com. and 24 miles travel, 3.20
O. F. Herring, as clerk to B. C. C., and other work, 15.00

LOCAL ITEMS.

Rev. M. H. Tuttle arrived Tuesday.

Mr. J. D. Swinson spent Xmas with one of his brothers in Virginia.

Miss Mamie Kelly returned home last Friday from a visit to Kinston.

Mr. H. W. McKlure and family moved into the "McGee house" Tuesday.

Prof. and Mrs. E. E. Britton spent Xmas away from home, we suppose at Wilso.

Mr. "Dob" Jones and daughter Mollie of Ga. are here on a visit to relatives.

Miss Frankie Hill, who has been spending some time with friends and relatives, in Clinton returned home last week.

Rev. J. B. Harrell and wife of Kinston are here on a visit to Mrs. H's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelly.

Rev. N. A. Hooker and his daughter Miss Sue returned home last Saturday after making a pleasant visit here.

Henry Kornegay (col) got into a skirmish here with several young men of the town. Xmas day and Henry came 2nd best. Better not fool with Mt. Olive boys.

Mess. R. J. Southerland, Jr., Chas. Abernethy, Mack Williams and Tom Elmore returned home last week from their respective schools to spend the holidays.

Mr. Willie Grimes a clever young man of Kenansville has taken a position as salesman in Mr. H. W. McKinnis's store where he will be pleased to see his old friends and new ones too.

While out hunting last Monday Mr. Ike Faison was shot in the face and eyes. We trust it is not serious though we could not get the particulars. It is feared he will lose one of his eyes.

Mess. J. T. Loftin, J. J. Kornegay, Tom Kornegay, Waited and Hiram Williams and Miss Annie Barfield left last Friday for Douglas Ga., in company with Mr. M. T. Howell. The young men have gone to seek their fortunes and we hope they will be successful. Several of them subscribed to THE TELEGRAM and said "they must have the home news."

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ADVERTISEMENTS.

To T. M. Britt, beef for County Farm, 2.80
J. B. Highsmith, conveying prisoner to jail, 6.00
W. U. Newkirk, registering voters, 9.30
Leffon Herring, three months' support, 3.00
Daniel Robinson, repairing bridge, 8.00
M. Hanstein, clothing for pauper, 6.50
J. A. Register, 1 months' support, 2.00
R. A. Ingram, registering voters, 7.44
Mrs. James Shipp, work at County Farm, 6.35
James Shipp, three months' services at County Farm, 25.00
Sarah Williams, three months' as cook at County Farm, 12.00
Francis Butler, work at County Farm, 1.50
Wright Goodrich, 3 months' support, 3.00
Edward Johnson, serving road orders, 4.20
James Higgs and wife, three months' support, 5.00
E. C. Smith, registering voters, 8.39
Isabella Bryant, three months' support, 4.00
J. H. Robinson, jail account, 17.85
Frank Lewis, three months' support, 3.00
Radio West, three months' support, 3.00
Sarah Pope, three months' support, 3.